

EXHIBIT “A”

AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF INFORMATION

TO: Dr. Mitchell Sherrah *Shirah*
 Roanoke Family Care
 4441 U.S. Highway 431, North, Suite 1
 Post Office Box 1397
 Roanoke, Alabama 36274

I, **EMORY STEVE BROWN**, hereby authorize any and all healthcare providers who have ever provided care and treatment to me to release any and all letters, medical records, doctors' notes, narrative summaries, reports, x-ray films test and x-ray results, statements for services, writing or any other documents in your possession, custody and control, including psychological or psychiatric treatment, relating to your examination and treatment of **EMORY STEVE BROWN**, Pine Valley Dr., Roanoke AL 36274, Social Security Number: 423-80-9678 and Date of Birth: 8-24-55, to the law firm of Carlock, Copeland, Semler & Stair, LLP.

This authorization is effective as of the date indicated below and authorizes disclosure of the subject medical records during the pendency of the litigation styled as **EMORY STEVE BROWN, Plaintiff V. CLAIMS MANAGEMENT, INC., Defendant**; Circuit Court of Randolph County, Alabama, Civil Action File Number: CV 2005-093, until said case is concluded.

Pursuant to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 ("HIPAA"), specifically 45 C.F.R. § 165.508(c), the individual, organizational unit or class of individuals or organizational units to whom the records may be disclosed are as follows:

- (1) Carlock, Copeland, Semler & Stair, LLP
 Post Office 139
 Columbus, GA 31902-0139
 (706) 653-6109
- (2) Clients of Carlock, Copeland, Semler & Stair, LLP who have been named as defendants in the above-captioned lawsuit;
- (3) Upon their request, counsel for other defendants in the above-captioned action;
- (4) All insurers of clients of Carlock, Copeland, Semler & Stair, LLP who are providing for the defense of this action and evaluating same; and

- (5) All "expert witnesses" consulted by the law firm of Carlock, Copeland, Semler & Stair, LLP. For purposes of this release, "experts" shall be defined as set forth in O.C.G.A. § 9-11-26(b)(3) and § 9-11-26(b)(4).

It is my understanding that all persons to whom these records are sent by the law firm of Carlock, Copeland, Semler & Stair, LLP shall maintain the confidentiality of said records and not release them without the express consent of the undersigned.

I understand I may revoke this authorization by notifying the above referenced provider(s) in writing of my desire to revoke it. However, I understand that any action already taken in reliance on this authorization cannot be reversed, and my revocation will not affect those actions. I understand that the medical provider to whom this authorization is furnished may not condition its treatment of me on whether or not I sign the authorization.

This authorization expires upon occurrence of the following event that relates to me or to the purpose of the intended use or disclosure of information about me: any settlement, trial, subsequent appeal, and/or re-trial of my lawsuit.

I hereby authorize that copies of this authorization may serve as the original.

In so authorizing the health care providers of **EMORY STEVE BROWN** to release the medical records they maintain for her, provided it is solely in connection with this litigation and only during the duration of this litigation, said health care providers are hereby released from liability under HIPAA, and any other state or federal law pertaining to the privacy afforded to the maintenance of these records by the health care providers of **EMORY STEVE BROWN**.

I freely and voluntarily give this release this 22 day of August, 2005.

Emory Ste Brown
(Signature)

Emory Steve Brown
(Printed Name)

Sworn to and subscribed before me

this 22 day of August, 2005.

Jeri M. Lennard
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

EXHIBIT “B”

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REPLY TO COLUMBUS OFFICE

September 7, 2005

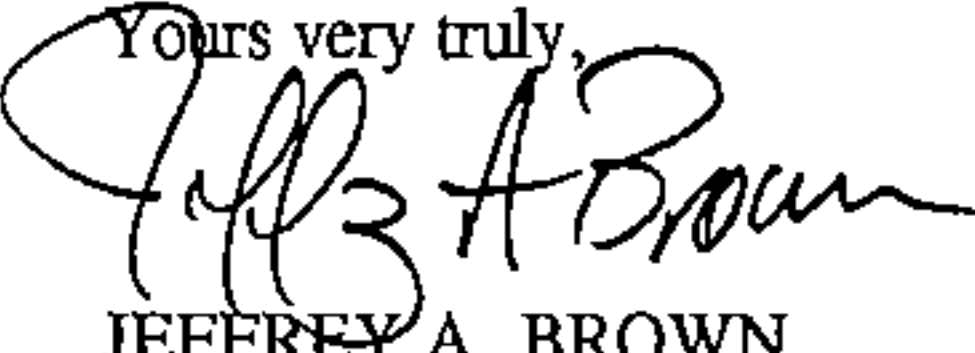
Director of Medical and Billing Records
DR. MITCHELL SHIRAH
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Re: Emory Steve Brown v. Claims Management, Inc.; In the United States
District Court for the Middle District of Alabama, Eastern Division, Civil
Action File Number: 3:05 CV 0681-C

Dear Sir or Madam:

Regarding the referenced matter, please find a HIPAA Compliant Authorization for the release of medical records executed by Emory Steve Brown. Mr. Brown has been gracious enough to execute the enclosed Release authorizing your facility to produce any and all records, which you maintain, related to medical treatment and services provided to Emory Steve Brown. In addition to providing me with a copy of his medical records, I would also request that you provide me with a complete, itemized billing statement reflecting not only expenses incurred, but payments made on Mr. Brown's account.

If you should require a pre-payment for the production of these materials, please forward same to Ms. Sherree Rodgers in my office. I appreciate your cooperation, and if you should have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Yours very truly,

JEFFREY A. BROWN

JAB/acc

Enclosures

cc: John A. Tinney, Esquire (with enclosures)

EXHIBIT “C”

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October 11, 2005

Director of Medical and Billing Records
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Re: Emory Steve Brown v. Claims Management, Inc.; In the United States
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Dear Sir or Madam:

Regarding the referenced matter, on September 7, 2005, I forwarded a HIPAA Release to your facility authorizing you to release the medical and billing information of Emory Steve Brown. As of this date, we have yet to receive a response to our request. Please forward this documentation to my office within ten (10) days from the date of this letter.

If you should require a pre-payment for the production of these materials, please forward same to Ms. Brandy Shirley in my office. I appreciate your cooperation, and if you should have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Yours very truly,

JEFFREY A. BROWN

JAB/bss
cc: John A. Tinney, Esquire